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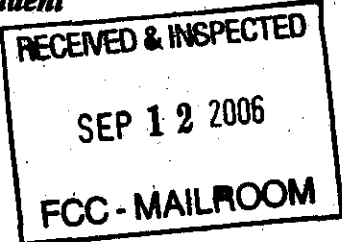
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*Katie McGee, Ed.D., Superintendent*

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DATE: 09/07/2006

TO: Letter of Appeal  
Federal Communications Commission  
Office of the Secretary  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Room TW-A325  
Washington, DC 20554

FROM: Brunswick County Schools  
35 Referendum Drive  
Bolivia, NC, 28422

SUBJECT: 4<sup>th</sup> Follow-up to Appeal of Funding Request Number  
1095105

CC: 02-6

Attached to this document you will find my original appeal of non-reimbursement of funds spent for data and voice service along with two subsequent follow-ups. To this date I have heard nothing on this appeal from the Schools and Libraries Division. The original appeal is as follows:

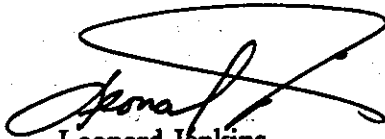
"During the course of review you failed to demonstrate that at the time of filing the form 471 you had the financial resources necessary to pay the non-discounted charges on your application. Consequently, the commitment has been rescinded in full."

First of all, I have every piece of paperwork sent by the SLD either by email or phone regarding their request for additional information and there is nothing there concerning their reason for denial. Secondly, the forms that were submitted were Forms 472 for reimbursement. This means that we, the school district had already paid for the services and were requesting reimbursement of those funds. For this to have happened, would mean that the funds would have to have been in the 2004-2005 approved school budget.

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I realize that the SLD has probably been busy processing applications for the hurricane damaged states but it has been nearly a year with no response. I ask that you please look into this appeal and reinstate the funding for these funding requests.

Thank you.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Leonard Jenkins', with a large, sweeping loop at the end.

Leonard Jenkins  
Director, Technology

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DATE: 5/23/06

TO: Letter of Appeal  
Schools and Libraries Division  
Box 125 - Correspondence Unit  
100 South Jefferson Road  
Whippany, NJ 07981

FROM: Brunswick County Schools  
35 Referendum Drive  
Bolivia, NC 28422

SUBJECT: 3<sup>rd</sup> Followup to Appeal of Funding Request  
Number 1095105

Please reference the attachment concerning the appeal submitted on November 8, 2005 concerning the reimbursement of funds spent for basic telephone service. It has now been six months and I have not had a reply. I realize that you may have been busy processing applications as a result of the hurricane damaged states but I would like to know the status of my appeal.



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23 March 2006

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35 Referendum Drive  
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SUBJECT: Followup to APPEAL of Funding Request  
Number: 1095105

TO: Letter of Appeal  
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Box 125 - Correspondence Unit  
80 South Jefferson Road  
Whippany, NJ 07981

On 8 November 2005 I files an appeal concerning the non-reimbursement of funds for Form 471 Application Number 400525; Billed Entity Number 208677; FCC Registration Number 13452420; Applicat's Form Identifier BCSPHONYR7.

As to date we have not heard anything. Request the status of this appeal be forwarded to Leonard Jenkins, 35 Referendum Drive, Bolivia NC 28422; 910-253-2931.

Attached is a copy of the original appeal.

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8 November 2005

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TO: Letter of Appeal  
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Box 125 - Correspondence Unit  
80 South Jefferson Road  
Whippany, NJ 07981

Name: Leonard Jenkins

Address: 35 Referendum Drive, Bolivia, NC 28422

Telephone Number: 1-910-253-2931

Fax Number: 1-910-253-2983

Email Address: [ljenkins@bcswan.net](mailto:ljenkins@bcswan.net)

Billed Entity Name: Brunswick County Schools

Form 471 Application Number: 400525

Funding Year: 2004

Applicant's Form Identifier: BCSPHONYR7

Billed Entity Number: 208677

FCC Registration Number: 13452420

SPIN Name: Atlantic Telephone Membership Corporation

SPIN Number: 143001482

Statement from decision letter for the rescinding of the commitment for funding, "During the course of review you failed to demonstrate that at the time of filing the form 471 you had the financial resources necessary to pay the non-discounted charges on your application. Consequently, the commitment has been rescinded in full."

## **Reason for approving appeal:**

To me, this makes absolutely no sense what so ever. I have in a folder every request for additional information and I have no record of such a request. If the request was made, the attached documents would have been provided. (Copy of the 2004-2005 technology budget)  
Since the start of eRate funding, we have found we could not depend on eRate funding to pay our bills for services that we must have in place to meet No Child Left Behind and AYP standards. So as you can see by the attachment, we had to include funding to cover the entire cost of not just telephone service but any service we needed. I have also included a copy

of this year's technology budget and you will see that it also includes the funds to pay for telephone service for this fiscal year as well.

If anyone had looked at the attached supporting documentation accompanying the request for reimbursements, they would have seen that we paid the total cost of all the service, because it was allocated in the 2004-2005 budget.

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Form 471 Application Number: 400525  
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Applicant's Form Identifier: BCSPHONYR7  
Billed Entity Number: 208677  
FCC Registration Number: 13452420  
SPIN Name: BellSouth Telecommunication, Inc.  
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**To:** Schools and Libraries Universal Service Program

**From:** Billed Entity Number: 208677

**Date:** 30 January 2006

**Re:** Applicant's Form Identifier: DATA-YR9

**Vendor Name:** Atlantic Telephone Membership Corp.

**SPIN Number:** 143001482

**470 Application Number:** 122920000510179

**471 Application Number:** 504578

**Contract Award Date:** 02/17/2005

Atlantic Tel. Membership Corp. provides internet access to all 17 district schools, the district central office, and the maintenance and transportation complex. Vendor agrees to provide 1GB bandwidth data connection speed to all sites and a minimum of 22MB bandwidth speed to the internet. Vendor will provide all maintenance support for data lines. This bandwidth will allow this school district to implement all state driven initiatives, distant learning and further our ability to ensure that NO CHILD IS LEFT BEHIND in education initiatives in our district, state and country.

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